CERTIFICATION OF LEAD PLAINTIFF PURSUANT TO FEDERAL SECURITIES LAWS

- I, Stanley Golovac, duly certify and say, as to the claims asserted under the federal securities laws, that:
- 1. I reviewed the Consolidated Second Amended Class Action Complaint (the "Complaint") against Riot Blockchain, Inc. ("Riot") and others, and authorized its filing.
- 2. I did not purchase the security that is the subject of this action at the direction of plaintiff's counsel or in order to participate in this private action.
- 3. I remain willing to serve as a representative party on behalf of the class, including providing testimony at deposition and trial, if necessary.
- 4. My transactions in Riot securities, which are the subject of this litigation during the class period set forth in the Complaint are set forth in Exhibit A attached hereto.
- 5. Within the last three years, I have not sought to serve nor have I served as a class representative in any other federal securities fraud case.
- 6. I will not accept any payment for serving as a representative party on behalf of the class beyond the plaintiff's pro rata share of any recovery, except as ordered or approved by the court, including any award for reasonable costs and expenses (including lost wages) directly relating to the representation of the class.

I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that the foregoing is true and correct.

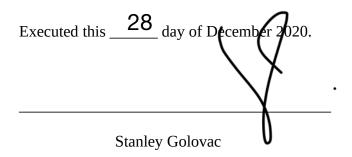


Exhibit A

Date	Туре	No. Shares	Price
12/19/2017	Purchase	2,500	\$45.12
12/19/2017	Purchase	2,500	\$44.25
12/19/2017	Purchase	2,000	\$42.10
12/19/2017	Purchase	400	\$42.03
12/19/2017	Purchase	100	\$42.09
12/19/2017	Purchase	167	\$40.37
12/19/2017	Purchase	750	\$40.39
12/19/2017	Purchase	1,200	\$40.35
12/19/2017	Purchase	383	\$40.38
12/21/2017	Purchase	1,100	\$30.47
12/21/2017	Purchase	1,000	\$30.49
12/21/2017	Purchase	400	\$30.50
12/21/2017	Sale	(100)	\$31.22
12/21/2017	Sale	(300)	\$31.18
12/21/2017	Sale	(200)	\$31.22
12/21/2017	Sale	(600)	\$31.19
12/21/2017	Sale	(100)	\$31.21
12/21/2017	Sale	(100)	\$31.21
12/21/2017	Sale	(1,100)	\$31.18
12/21/2017	Purchase	5,000	\$31.03
12/22/2017	Purchase	200	\$22.95
12/22/2017	Purchase	2,300	\$22.98
12/22/2017	Sale	(2,500)	\$23.50
12/22/2017	Purchase	1,500	\$24.39
12/22/2017	Purchase	100	\$24.32
12/22/2017	Purchase	900	\$24.32
12/22/2017	Sale	(2,500)	\$25.00
12/22/2017	Purchase	100	\$24.95
12/22/2017	Purchase	100	\$24.95
12/22/2017	Purchase	100	\$24.95
12/22/2017	Purchase	100	\$24.96
12/22/2017	Purchase	1,100	\$24.99
12/22/2017	Purchase	700	\$24.96
12/22/2017	Purchase	300	\$25.00
12/22/2017	Purchase	250	\$24.97
12/22/2017	Purchase	253	\$25.13
12/22/2017	Purchase	100	\$25.01
12/22/2017	Purchase	50	\$25.05
12/22/2017	Purchase	1,000	\$25.08
12/22/2017	Purchase	800	\$25.02
12/22/2017	Purchase	47	\$25.12
12/22/2017	Purchase	400	\$24.75
12/22/2017	Purchase	1,800	\$24.79
12/22/2017	Purchase	300	\$24.74

Date	Туре	No. Shares	Price
12/22/2017	Purchase	1,700	\$24.63
12/22/2017	Purchase	800	\$24.70
12/22/2017	Purchase	200	\$23.79
12/22/2017	Purchase	100	\$23.79
12/22/2017	Purchase	2,200	\$23.80
12/22/2017	Sale	(5,000)	\$24.20
12/22/2017	Purchase	198	\$23.88
12/22/2017	Purchase	2,950	\$23.95
12/22/2017	Purchase	200	\$23.97
12/22/2017	Purchase	100	\$23.99
12/22/2017	Purchase	101	\$23.96
12/22/2017	Purchase	100	\$23.98
12/22/2017	Purchase	1	\$24.00
12/22/2017	Purchase	100	\$23.99
12/22/2017	Purchase	500	\$24.03
12/22/2017	Purchase	750	\$23.90
12/22/2017	Purchase	100	\$22.69
12/22/2017	Purchase	365	\$22.75
12/22/2017	Purchase	1,800	\$22.80
12/22/2017	Purchase	100	\$22.72
12/22/2017	Purchase	135	\$22.73
12/22/2017	Sale	(5,000)	\$24.00
12/22/2017	Sale	(2,500)	\$25.00
12/26/2017	Sale	(189)	\$31.20
12/26/2017	Sale	(32)	\$31.17
12/26/2017	Sale	(500)	\$31.16
12/26/2017	Sale	(689)	\$31.16
12/26/2017	Sale	(2,429)	\$31.13
12/26/2017	Sale	(1,543)	\$31.10
12/26/2017	Sale	(2)	\$31.09
12/26/2017	Sale	(500)	\$31.11
12/26/2017	Sale	(17)	\$31.04
12/26/2017	Sale	(796)	\$31.06
12/26/2017	Sale	(15,132)	\$31.05
12/26/2017	Sale	(671)	\$31.14
1/18/2018	Purchase	10,000	\$19.15
1/22/2018	Purchase	100	\$19.66
1/22/2018	Purchase	200	\$19.68
1/22/2018	Purchase	200	\$19.67
1/22/2018	Purchase	200	\$19.69
1/22/2018	Purchase	9,300	\$20.00
1/31/2018	Purchase	1,200	\$14.92
1/31/2018	Purchase	300	\$14.92
1/31/2018	Purchase	1,000	\$14.92
2/6/2018	Purchase	7,500	\$11.34
2/6/2018	Sale	(7,500)	\$12.00

Date	Туре	No. Shares	Price
2/7/2018	Purchase	7,500	\$15.65
2/7/2018	Purchase	388	\$14.95
2/7/2018	Purchase	4,482	\$14.96
2/7/2018	Purchase	130	\$14.94
2/8/2018	Sale	(5,000)	\$15.20
2/9/2018	Sale	(15,000)	\$15.15
2/9/2018	Sale	(5,000)	\$15.15
2/9/2018	Sale	(10,000)	\$15.45
2/12/2018	Purchase	100	\$17.65
2/12/2018	Purchase	398	\$17.66
2/12/2018	Purchase	400	\$17.67
2/12/2018	Purchase	4,102	\$17.70
2/12/2018	Purchase	170	\$17.61
2/12/2018	Purchase	4,830	\$17.60
2/12/2018	Purchase	25,000	\$17.90
2/13/2018	Purchase	10,000	\$16.23
2/14/2018	Sale	(10,000)	\$17.10
2/14/2018	Purchase	10,000	\$16.84
2/15/2018	Purchase	5,000	\$17.29
2/16/2018	Purchase	10,000	\$12.00
2/16/2018	Sale	(6,574)	\$11.95
2/16/2018	Sale	(1,826)	\$12.00
2/16/2018	Sale	(1,000)	\$12.03
2/16/2018	Sale	(500)	\$12.03
2/16/2018	Sale	(100)	\$11.98
2/16/2018	Purchase	200	\$12.30
2/16/2018	Purchase	100	\$12.31
2/16/2018	Purchase	400	\$12.29
2/16/2018	Purchase	9,000	\$12.33
2/16/2018	Purchase	300	\$12.32
2/20/2018	Sale	(3,980)	\$10.19
2/20/2018	Sale	(64)	\$10.14
2/20/2018	Sale	(960)	\$10.18
2/20/2018	Sale	(336)	\$10.15
2/20/2018	Sale	(4,300)	\$10.13
2/20/2018	Sale	(360)	\$10.16
2/21/2018	Purchase	500	\$10.78
2/21/2018	Purchase	9,270	\$10.80
2/21/2018	Purchase	230	\$10.79
2/22/2018	Sale	(4,550)	\$10.25
2/23/2018	Sale	(3,655)	\$10.25
2/23/2018	Sale	(11,345)	\$10.30
2/23/2018	Sale	(25,000)	\$10.25
2/23/2018	Sale	(15,450)	\$10.25